

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: §  
Bernard Derek Frutin §  
Serial No.: To be assigned §  
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For: DEVICE FOR INTRODUCING §  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the following claims:

- Claim 3, line 1, please delete "claim 1 or 2", and insert -- claim 1--.
- Claim 5, line 1, please delete "claim 1 or 2", and insert -- claim 1--.
- Claim 7, line 1, please delete "any preceding claim", and insert -- claim 1--.
- Claim 8, line 1, please delete "any preceding claim", and insert -- claim 1--.
- Claim 10, line 1, please delete "claim 8 or 9", and insert -- claim 8--.
- Claim 11, line 1, please delete "claim 8 or 9", and insert -- claim 8--.
- Claim 12, line 1, please delete "claim 8 or 9", and insert -- claim 8--.
- Claim 13, line 1, please delete "claim 8 or 9", and insert -- claim 8--.
- Claim 14, line 1, please delete "any one of claims 1 to 7", and insert -- claim 1--.
- Claim 16, line 1, please delete "any one of claims 1 to 7", and insert -- claim 1--.
- Claim 16, lines 2 & 3, please delete "or similar".